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MAIL STOP – RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

a.) Introductory Comments:

In response to the Office Action, mail dated August 1, 2006, applicant respectfully makes the following provisional election and requests reconsideration of the restriction requirement in view of applicant's remarks below.

Applicant provisionally elects Group I, claims 1-20, and the species of Group A, PSA, with traverse.